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UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND
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August 30, 2005

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Dear Sir/Madam,

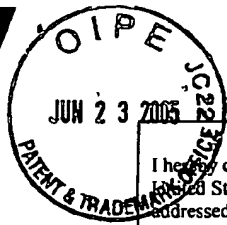
Your refund request for 10525150 in the amount of \$675.00 has been denied .

Small entity status fee not refundable. The time has expired for the refund of this fee. A refund based on establishment of small entity status may only be obtained if a verified statement under 37 CFR 1.27 and a request for the refund of excess amount are filed within three months of timely payment of the full fee (37 CFR 1.28).

Sincerely,

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Attorney Docket No. 84532-000000US PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

NUZHAT AHMED et al.

Application No.: 10/525,150

Filed: February 18, 2005

For: MARKER FOR CANCER

Examiner: Unassigned

Art Unit: Unassigned

REQUEST FOR REIMBURSEMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby claim small entity status in the above-identified case. Applicants request reimbursement of \$675 representing the overpayment of fees as a large entity at the time of filing of the nonprovisional application. A copy of the Application fee sheet is enclosed herewith. Please credit this overpayment to deposit account 20-1430. This Request is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: June 21, 2005

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